Docket No. <u>979-030</u>

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s)

: DeBuyst et al.

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Serial No.

PATENT

: 10/650,483

Examiner: Ross N. Gushi

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: August 27, 2004

For

: A CONNECTOR FOR CONNECTING TWO ELECTRICAL POWER...

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application.

[X] No additional fee is required.

[] The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After		Highest No. Covered by Previous	Present	Rate		Additional
	Amendment		Payments	Extra			<u>Fee</u>
Total Claims*	13	-	20	=0	x 9		\$.00
Independent Claims	3	-	3	=0	x 42		\$ <u>0</u>
Multiple (If claims added by amendment include Dependent Multiple Dependent Claim(s) and there was no Multiple Dependent Claim(s) in application before amendment add \$260.00 to additional fee.)						Total:	\$ \$00
[] Verified Statement of "Small Entity" Status Under 37 CFR § 1.27 filed Reduced Fees Under 37 CFR § 1.9(f) (50% of total) paid herewith.							\$

Includes all independent and single dependent claims and all claims referred to in multiple dependent claims. See 37 C.F.R. § 1.75(c).

[] .	Charge \$.00 fee to Deposit Account No. 19-2825. Order No A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.						
[X]	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for this amendment, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No.19-2825. Order No. 979-030. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.						
[]	Page(s) of substitute Sequence Listing						
[]	Computer disk(s) containing substitute Sequence Listing						
[]	Statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.825(b) that the computer and paper copies of the substitute Sequence Listing are the same.						
[]	A check in the amount of \$.00 to cover the filing fee is attached.						
		Respectfully submitted,					
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Dated: \	1/18/01	By: Loseph Sofer Registration No. 34,438					

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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I hereby certify that the attached <u>Amendment, Amendment Transmittal, and Return Postcard</u> along with any paper(s) referred to as being attached or enclosed and this Certificate of Mailing are being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to the: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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SIR:

Please enter the following amendments and remarks in response to the Office Action dated January 18, 2005.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.